

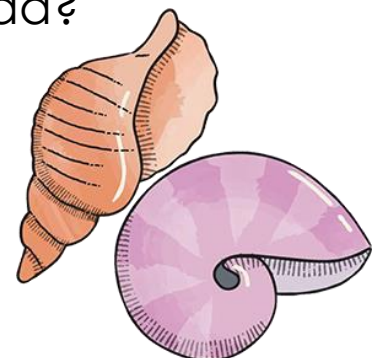
Subtraction word problems

Grade 2 Word Problems Worksheet

1. Isabella's hair is 185 millimeters long. If she gets a haircut and now her hair is 44 millimeters long, how much of Isabella's hair got cut off?

2. Natalie's hair is 18 inches long. By the end of the year her hair is 24 inches long. How much hair did she grow?

3. Jovana had 5 pounds of shells in her bucket. She added 64 shells and now has 185 pounds of shells. How many pounds did she add?



4. Isha's pencil was 31 inches long. After she sharpens it, it is 14 inches long. How much did she sharpen off of her pencil?
5. Bertha's pencil is 22 inches long. If she sharpens two inches off on Monday and two inches on Tuesday and three inches on Wednesday, how long will her pencil be then?

Answers

1. $185 - 44 = 141$
141 millimeters of Isabella's hair got cut off.
2. $24 - 18 = 6$
Her hair grew 6 inches.
3. $185 - 5 = 180$
She added 180 pounds.
4. $31 - 14 = 17$
She sharpened off 17 inches.
5. $22 - 2 - 2 - 3 = 15$
Her pencil will be 15 inches long.